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In re Application of: Timothy J. Dupuis et al.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 28, 2003

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted as a Response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2003.

Should any fees under 37 CFR 1.16-1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, including any additional fee for an extension of time, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from O'Keefe, Egan & Peterman Deposit Account No. 10-1205/SILA:054.

Please amend the application as follows: